

THE HONDO ANVIL HERALD.

HONDO, MEDINA COUNTY, TEXAS, SATURDAY, JANUARY 14, 1911.

VOL. 25. No. 23

HERE AND POSSIBILITIES OF MOTHERS' CLUBS.

Written by Mrs. H. G. Henderson for the Medina County Teachers' Institute.

PUBLISHED BY REQUEST OF THE INSTITUTE.

In affairs go wrong in the world there are always some one to say "a woman is at the bottom of it." She may be at work for the uplifting of man race, and woman is at the top of that too. She has been the weaker sex but that is owing to the fact that her genius is in a narrower groove. She has unconsciously the little things at the girl of Bologna who carved wood of a thousand lives on a plum castle?

The Poet says—

"Oh, woman! There is in you all that we believe of Heaven! Amazing brightness, purity and truth."

To show you womanly excellence and greatness we need not refer you to Zenobia or Samerimis, but simply point you to your own picture gallery of memory. There you will find one face that will arouse all that is holy, all the love and gratitude within you. This gentle, beautiful face is—Mother!

But women are like separate fingers on the palm of humanity and if these fingers be knotted and compressed into a fist by union and close fellowship what may they not accomplish? Never since the dawn of time has there been so many benevolent orders as today. Never was the power of co-operation as well understood. There are Orders, Clubs, Leagues, Societies, national and international, and however secret they may be all are known to be founded on mutual help. They nurse the sick and bury the dead. Time would fail us to mention the various clubs into which women alone are crowding today, but there is not one with a more noble purpose than our Mothers' Club. One of the most important conditions of easy control in school is co-operation of patrons and teachers. The crying necessity of such conditions brought into life our Mothers' Clubs of Texas.

Probably this is stale to some of you, but the notes have been curtailed considerably and were only read with the hope that they might create a desire in the hearts of those who are not members of a Mothers' Club either to join or to be the means of forming a new club. You have no idea how it will help in the general elevation of the country life. We need Mothers' Clubs in the rural districts more than in town, it gives the farmers wives something to think of beside churning, sweeping and sewing. Change of work is really rest and women are naturally social and if our staunchest men are to come from the country it is only right for the teachers to try to throw some brightness into the lives of these mothers and at the same time bring brightness into their own lives by coming in contact with these noble women.

The mother's treasures are in the school and "where their treasures are there should their hearts be also." The school grounds must be improved for our children; for the more attractive their surroundings, the higher will be their aspirations and the easier their attainment.

The capacity of conceiving the beautiful exists in every mind. It needs only that a spark from the outer world should light it and all things become illuminated in its blaze. Out of the idea of the beautiful, nothing unchaste or false can come and from a love of the beautiful to a love of the good, there is but a single step. Educating children means something more than solving problems in arithmetic or construing sentences in Grammar, but the awakening in their minds an animating, life giving power that does not rest satisfied with present attainments but is ever striving to open new truth, to express new beauty or to contrive new ways of lessening labor or effecting good.

Our children are learning to read, they are learning to love to read and if something pure, good and interesting is not put before them they will get something that will harm both soul and body. They will get pernicious literature that will warp the mind, ruin the memory and destroy a taste for anything better. There is beauty, truth, and goodness in the works of nature, in art, in science, in human life and now and then they are caught up by some master hand and, like the pearly drops that hang upon the flowers, like the beaded bubbles that break upon the stream, grace our literature. These, the mothers can put before their chil-

small fee. This money was to be used for our library. Last year we gave an "Old Folks Concert." The mothers read, sang and recited for the trifold purpose of elevating the stage, amusing the public and procuring funds for our library. During the summer we had an ice cream supper in the Park and this year we have taken the Lyceum Course, had a dinner on Election day and our President has taken subscriptions for the "Ladies Home Journal." In this way, we are putting good things before the public and also making money for our work. We have already purchased several sets of supplementary reading for each grade in our school and we still hope to accomplish wonders in the way of physical improvements after we have supplied the moral needs. Our Club is federated with the Women's Congress of Texas and our delegate brought us notes of the meeting at Austin on Oct. 12. A large audience was gathered to bid welcome to this the newest of State organizations. Greetings were extended by Hon. Jewel Lightfoot (Gov. Campbell being sick at the time). Mayor Wooldridge bade them welcome in behalf of the city. This was followed by welcome addresses from Supt. of City schools and State Supt. of Public Instruction. Mr. Bralley said that in his capacity as State Supt. he had witnessed the influence of Mothers' Clubs in the work and he most earnestly wished them "God's Speed." The response to these greetings was made in a most graceful and appropriate manner by the President of the Women's Congress, Mrs. J. N. Porter, of Dallas.

There were many addresses made by prominent men, a number of receptions given to the Congress and all the Mothers' Clubs of Texas heard from. Mrs. Porter recommended that the Clubs stress the physical development of the children, and to agitate the abolition of the public drinking cup, and she hoped that ere long the Mothers' Congress would be represented in every county in Texas. A delightful entertainment at the University brought to a close the 2nd Annual Congress of Mothers.

Saturday Morning
The necessity of a Parents' and Teachers' Club at D'Hanis, Prof. W. W. Dover, Mrs. Roller, and Mrs. Henderson.

Grammar. The methods and importance of teaching it, Dr. H. S. Roller, leader; Misses Breeding, Fuller and Stubbs.

The teacher as factor in the Social, Civic and Intellectual Development of the Community, Profs. F. C. Cannon and J. G. Matthews.

Personality of the teacher (McK-C. 18.), Prof. W. G. Moore and Miss Bessie Gillam.

The Mental attitude of the Pupil (McK-C. 19.), Prof. W. L. Spradling, Miss Annie Spencer, and Prof. A. W. Meyers.

Respectfully,

W. N. SAATHOFF.

County Superintendent of Public Instruction of Medina County.

Mothers' Club Meeting.

The Mothers' Club convened at the school house Monday evening at 4 o'clock.

Those present were Mesdames G. W. Monkhousie, J. W. Holloway, L. J. Brucks, E. G. Garwood, G. T. Elder, L. Stiegler, H. H. Crow, P. Jungman, Lee Green, H. G. Henderson, F. Davis, Misses Lena and Stella Stone, Rhea Mackey, Nova Johnson, and Profs. Hickman and Spradling.

Prof. Hickman reported about five hundred books bought for the school library, at a cost of about \$140.

Mrs. G. W. Jones, Mrs. T. C. Hickman and Prof. Spradling were appointed a Committee to audit the books of the Mother's Club.

Mrs. J. W. Holloway handed in her resignation, which was accepted by the Club, and Mrs. P. Jungmann was elected to succeed her as 2nd Vice-President.

Profs. Hickman and Spradling and Mrs. H. G. Henderson were appointed a Committee to decide on the winners of the prizes for the best essays on "Robert E. Lee" and "Causes that led up to the Civil War."

Mrs. G. W. Jones and Mrs. H. G. Henderson were appointed a Committee to select prizes for the two best essays.

Prof. Hickman made a short talk on what he had learned of the work of Mother's Clubs over the State, while attending a meeting of the State Teachers' Association at Abilene.

Posted.

Our pastures are both posted according to law. No hunting or trespassing allowed.

Burrell Bros.,
Dunlay Texas.

Notice.

My pastures are posted. No shooting or hunting allowed.

JOHN STURM.

GET YOUR PREMIUM CARDS AT THE CO- OPERATIVE STORE BEFORE FEBRUARY 1

On that date all Premiums will be withdrawn.

We will continue to sell the Freshest Groceries and most up-to-date Dry Goods, Clothing and Shoes to be found in Medina County.

We want your trade.

HEYEN & COMPANY The Co-Operative Store Branch Store at Tarpley

G. H. & S. A. Passenger Train Schedule.

WEST BOUND

No. 7. Arrives.....8:46 P. M.

No. 9. Arrives.....10:12 A. M.

EAST BOUND

No. 10. Arrives.....5:33 P. M.

No. 8. Arrives.....8:26 A. M.

P. JUNGMANN, JR., Agent.

For Sale.

Saloon business and Pool Room, also our residence, a rock building containing four rooms, kitchen and out-houses. For particulars apply to

MR. AND MRS. FRANK MONIER,
Castroville, Texas.

Tax Collector Joe Ney asks us to announce that all minors becoming of age any time in 1911 after January 31st should apply to him before February 1st and secure an exemption certificate showing that fact, otherwise such parties can not vote during 1911. This is important and you should not neglect it.

New Year Resolution!

We have already made our New Year's resolution and shall continue for 1911, our policy of the past—

A Square Deal To All!

If you are not already one of our many customers now is a good time to open an account with us.

Hondo Merc. Co.

You Can Depend on This Cough Syrup

Is that cough of yours obstinate—won't let up day or night—got the throat irritated and inflamed—covered with mucous deposits?

Take a few doses of Nyal's Winter Cough Syrup—you'll notice a decided improvement in a day or two—even the first dose brings relief

It relieves all soreness and irritation—soothes and heals the inflamed tissues—removes the mucus and prevents further infection. Contains no morphine, chloroform, or opiates of any description—it is absolutely safe and dependable—you know just what you are taking—we can give you the formula and that's why we are so enthusiastic about it. Two sizes, 25 and 50 cents.

When we had a chance to get the exclusive selling agency for Nyal Family Remedies we jumped at it. They are known among all druggists as the highest quality line on the market and are prepared by a great firm of manufacturing chemists, famous for fifty years.

W. H. WINDROW
PRESCRIPTION DRUGGIST

Remember we have an exceptionally complete stock of everything usually kept in a drug store.

Program

For Missionary Institute to Be Held at Hondo, Texas, January 16-18, 1911.

MONDAY, JANUARY 16, 1911.

MORNING SESSION.

7:15-The Aim and Spirit of The Institute, R. A. Rowland.

7:30-The One Great Mission of the Church, Theo Lee.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 17, 1911.

MORNING SESSION.

9:00-Devotional-Lesson: Acts, 11 Chapter, W. L. Hightower.

9:15-A Survey of Our Mission Fields, J. M. Lynn.

9:30-Prayer and Missions, E. Y. S. Hubbard.

9:45-The Pastor As An Educational Force in Missions, Thos. Gregory.

10:00-How to Reach and Inlist the Whole Membership in Missions? Can It Be Done? Who Can Do It? C. W. Hordon.

10:15-How Can We Increase the Spirit of Prayer for Missions? F. A. Grimes.

10:30-The Missionary Education of the Children. Why? Where? and When? Theo Lee.

10:45-The Supreme Need of the Hour: Education, Prayer and Definite Plans, M. L. Darby.

11:00-Missionary Sermon, Thomas Gregory.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Devoted to the Laymen's Missionary Movement.

2:30-The Laymen's Missionary Movement-Why and How? G. G. Johnson.

2:45-The Churchman's Relation to His Pocket-book, A. A. Hughes.

3:30-Ought the Missionary Burdens be Equalized? G. H. Calcott.

3:45-The Every Member Campaign. The Best Way to Secure Results, Discussion.

4:00-Do We Give Evidence of Our Faith in Missionary Propaganda? Isaac King.

4:15-Are We Meeting the Needs of Our Own District? T. N. Barton and L. C. Lilly.

4:30-Can We and Will We Support a Missionary in the Uvalde District? C. H. Beever and Bro. Lacy.

4:45-The Work of the District Lay Leader Explained, G. H. Calcott.

5:00-The Work of the Lay Leader in the Congregation, Prof. Evans.

5:15-Missions From the View-point of a Business Man, R. H. Wester.

EVENING SERVICE.

7:15-Song Service.

7:30-How Can We Influence Our Respective Churches to Adopt An Adequate Missionary Policy? Answered By Many.

7:45-Missionary Address, G. G. Johnson.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY, 18, 1911.

MORNING SESSION.

9:00-Devotional-Scripture Lesson, Luke 10:25, 37, C. W. Rylander.

9:15-The Standard Missionary Church, J. W. Allbritten.

9:30-Our Responsibility to the Foreigner in Our Midst, R. A. Rowland.

9:45-How to Make the Epworth League Most Effective As a Missionary Force, Jno. N. Rentfro.

10:00-The Teaching of Jesus Concerning Money, W. L. Hightower.

10:15-Can We Secure An Offering for Missions From Every Member? And How? Geo. A. Naice.

10:30-How to Have a Live Missionary Sunday School, J. E. Buck and J. W. Woodson.

10:45-How to Discover and Develop the Missionary Spirit in Our People, A. Guyon.

11:00-Preaching, E. Y. S. Hubbard.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2:30-Devotional, C. E. Wheat.

2:45-The World's Need and the Savior's Desire, L. C. Lilly.

3:00-The Leadership of the Pastor, in Missionary Education, C. W. Rylander.

3:15-The Great Commission and the Great Challenge, Theo. Lee.

3:30-The Incoming Millions, Their Needs and Our Obligation, C. E. Wheat.

3:45-Our Opportunity and Obligation, T. N. Barton

4:00-How Shall We Meet Our Obligation to Missions? R. A. Rowland.

4:15-Americanizing the Aliens, J. M. Lynn.

4:30-Our Spanish Neighbors, Dr. C. W. Carter.

4:50-How Can We Enlarge Our Missionary Offerings? Answered By Many.

EVENING SERVICE.

7:15-Song Service.

7:30-How to Secure Early Collections and a Surplus, W. L. Hightower.

7:45-An Adequate Financial Plan Essential for Evangelizing the World, F. A. Grimes.

S. B. BEALL,
Presiding Elder.

In every home where there are children there should be a bottle of White's Cream Vermifuge. It destroys worms and acts as a tonic in the debilitated system. Price 25c per bottle. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

How about love at first sight, if love is blind?

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

Try the Anvil Herald one year for one dollar-less than two cents a week.

Millions of Lives.

An Awful Toll Collected by Consumption. Many Unnecessary Deaths.

If people could only understand that systemic catarrh is an internal disease that external applications cannot cure, they would not need to be warned so often about this malady, which, when neglected, paves the way oftentimes for consumption, at the cost of millions of lives every year. Yet catarrh may be cured, if the right treatment is employed.

The only way to successfully treat catarrh is by employing a medicine which is absorbed and carried by the blood to all parts of the system, so that the mucous membrane or internal lining of the body is toned up and made capable of resisting the infection of consumption and other diseases.

We have a remedy prepared from the prescription of a physician who for thirty years studied and made catarrh a specialty, and whose record was a patient restored to health in every case where his treatment was followed as prescribed. That remedy is Rexall Mucu-Tone. We are so positive that it will completely overcome catarrh in all its various forms, whether acute or chronic, that we promise to return every penny paid us for the medicine in every case where it fails or for any reason does not satisfy the user.

We want you to try Rexall Mucu-Tone on our recommendation and guarantee. We are right here where you live, and you do not contract any obligation or risk when you try Rexall Mucu-Tone on our guarantee. We have Rexall Mucu-Tone in two sizes, 50 cents and \$1.00. Very often the taking of one 50-cent bottle is sufficient to make a marked impression upon the case. Of course in chronic cases a longer treatment is necessary. The average in such instances is three \$1.00 bottles. Remember you can obtain Rexall Remedies in Hondo only at our store.—The Rexall Store, Falkenberg & Martin.

Courthouse News.

DEEDS FILED.

Real Estate transfers for to January 1, 1911.

W. E. Newton and wife to C. J. Oefinger, Jan. 5, 1911, deed to 640 acres survey 805, in name of A. A. Lacoste, \$16,000.

W. W. Burns and wife to Ed Fenneman and Lee Dickinson, Nov. 1, 1910, deed to lots 1, 2, 3, 4 and south $\frac{1}{2}$ of lots 5 and 6, block 12, Bright addition, \$1500. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

Henry Loessberg to Jacob Haby, Dec. 3, 1910, deed to 483 acres out of survey 8, in name of Andrew Northington, \$8000.

Louis A. and J. G. Heyen to R. P. Thomas and H. C. Rothe, April 15, 1910, deed to lots 3 and 4, block 3, J. W. Miller addition, Hondo, \$275.

G. W. Griffith and wife to F. R. Briscoe, Dec. 28, 1910, deed to lots 7, 10, 11, block 44, Bright addition, \$150. J. W. Hollaway to Ross Hollaway, Jan. 6, 1911, deed to an undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ interest in block 7, lots 15, 16, 17 and 18, block 2, with improvements, etc., Dunlay, \$1,00 and other considerations.

A. F. Jagge to L. W. Burrell, Nov. 10, 1910, deed to $\frac{1}{2}$ acre out of survey 41, in name of John Sharp, \$1.00.

Elise Broussard to Jay E. Adams, Jan 5, 1911, deed to 1200 acres, survey 12, in name of Jacob Huff, \$18,000.

Bids for Medina County Depository.

Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received from Banking Incorporations, associations, or individual bankers in Medina county, desiring to be selected as the

DEPOSITORY OF THE FUNDS OF MEDINA COUNTY,

under the terms of an act of the 29th Legislature, and amendments thereto, providing for county depositories. All proposals must comply in all respects with the terms of said acts, (a certified check for \$200, is required to accompany bid, which will be returned to bidder upon filing of bond for \$80,000 within five days after acceptance of bid,) bid to be addressed to H. E. Haass, County Judge, Hondo, Texas, and must be in my hands before 10 o'clock, A. M., on Monday, February 13, 1911, on which day they will be presented to the Commissioners' Court for approval or rejection, as provided by law.

Witness my official signature, at Hondo, Texas, January 11, 1911.

H. E. HAASS,
County Judge, Medina County,
Hondo, Texas.

It Is Fine.

Blondin's Show, "The Cowboy, Indian and the Lady," is good, in fact the very best dramatic production you have ever seen under canvas. Go and be convinced they deliver the goods. Saturday, January 21.

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

Try the Anvil Herald one year for one dollar-less than two cents a week.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN,
Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price, 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Nothing pleases a woman so much, as to be asked to go to a millinery store and help pick a hat!

To prevent pneumonia, a cold settled on the lungs should be attended to at once. Put a Herrick's Red Pepper Porous Plaster on the chest and take Ballard's Horehound Syrup internally. It's a winning combination. Buy the dollar size Horehound Syrup; you get a porous plaster free with each bottle. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

It's easy to get your fellow men to speak well of you. All you have to do is lay down and die.

Medicines that aid nature are most effectual. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy acts on this plan. It allays the cough, relieves the lungs, opens the secretions and aids nature in restoring the system to a healthy condition. Thousand have testified to its superior excellence. Sold by all dealers.

Knowledge how to make a living, is worth more than a dozen diplomas in dead languages!

When given as soon as the croupy cough appears Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will ward off an attack of croup and prevent all danger and cause of anxiety. Thousands of mothers use it successfully. Sold by all dealers.

You may not be able to tell when a gun is loaded, but you can always tell when a man is!

If you don't sleep well at night, are nervous and low-spirited, you need a system purifier. Herbine is a powerful liver stimulant and cleansing medicine. It quiets the nerves, promotes energy and cheerfulness. Price 50c. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

One man doesn't like to meet another who has the bad of collecting bills!

Constipation is the cause of many ailments and disorders that make life miserable. Take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, keep your bowels regular and you will avoid these diseases. For sale by all dealers.

A married man carrying a bundle or a baby, is a sort of warning to single men!

If your stomach feels uncomfortable from overeating, or from food which disagrees with you, take Herbine; it settles the stomach, strengthens the digestion and relaxes the bowels. Price 50c. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

It isn't what your enemies say about you that hurts, but what your friends say!

Make your real estate wants known to us. Hondo Land Co.

When buying a cough medicine for children bear in mind that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is most effectual for colds, croup and whooping cough and that it contains no harmful drug. For sale by all dealers.

A Reliable Cough Medicine.

Is a valuable family friend. Foley's Honey and Tar fulfills this condition entirely. Mrs. Charles Kline, N. 8th St., Easton, Pa., states: "Several members of my family have been cured of bad coughs and colds by the use of Foley's Honey and Tar and I am never without a bottle in the house. It soothes and relieves the irritation in the throat and loosens up the cold. I have always found it a reliable cough cure and do not hesitate to recommend it highly." For la grippe coughs and stuffy colds, for children and grown persons and for delicate people use only Foley's Honey and Tar. Contains no opiates. W. H. Windrow.

It is said that ministers live longer than any other professional men, and yet it's said that the good die young!

Solves A Deep Mystery.

"I want to thank you from the bottom of my heart," wrote C. B. Rader, of Lewisburg W. Va., "for the wonderful double benefit I got from Electric Bitters, in curing me of both a severe case of stomach trouble and of rheumatism, from which I had been an almost helpless sufferer for ten years. It suited my case as though made just for me." For dyspepsia, indigestion, jaundice and to rid the system of kidney poisons that cause rheumatism. Electric Bitters has no equal. Try them. Every bottle is guaranteed to satisfy. Only 50c at W. H. Windrow.

A well known actress says that in her profession a divorce without publicity is as bad as no divorce at all!

Foley's Kidney Remedy-An Appreciation.

L. McConnell, Catherine St., Elmira, N. Y., writes: "I wish to express my appreciation of the great good I derived from Foley's Kidney Remedy, which I used for a bad case of kidney trouble. Five bottles did the work most effectively and proved to me beyond doubt it is the most reliable kidney medicine I have ever taken and shall always have my endorsement." W. H. Windrow.

A man who boasts of calling a spade a spade may pass a snow shovel without being able to recognize it!

Death In Roaring Fire

may not result from the work of firebugs, but often severe burns are caused that make a quick need for Bucklin's Arnica Salve, the quickest, surest cure for burns, wounds, bruises, boils, sores. It subdues inflammation. It kills pain. It soothes and heals. Drives off skin eruptions, ulcers or piles. Only 25c at W. H. Windrow.

Many men never amount to anything until they get married. Then they have a good fighting chance.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have
Always Bought

Bears the
Signature

of

Chat H. Fletcher

In
Use

For Over
Thirty Years

CASTORIA

THE CASTORIA COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY.

In Bad Fix

"I had a mishap at the age of 41, which left me in bad fix," writes Mrs. Georgia Usher, of Conyers, Ga.

"I was unconscious for three days, and after that I would have fainting spells, dizziness, nervousness, sick headache, heart palpitation and many strange feelings."

"I suffered greatly with ailments due to the change of life and had 3 doctors, but they did no good, so I concluded to try Cardui."

"Since taking Cardui, I am so much better and can do all my housework."

Take CARDUI

The Woman's Tonic

Do not allow yourself to get into a bad fix. You might get in so bad you would find it hard to get out.

Better take Cardui while there is time, while you are still in moderately good health, just to conserve your strength and keep you in tip top condition.

In this way your troubles, whatever they are, will gradually grow smaller instead of larger—you will be on the up-grade instead of the down—and by and bye you will arrive at the north pole of perfect health.

Get a bottle at your druggists' today.

Pearl
BEER

WHO CAN BEAT IT?

SAN ANTONIO BREWING ASSN.

If you are not a subscriber to The Hondo Anvil Herald

Ring up telephone No. 127 and let us enroll you. It is only \$1.00 a year.

If you have any thing to advertise

Ring up telephone No. 127 and The Anvil Herald will carry your message to its readers at a nominal cost.

If you need any thing in Job Printing

Ring us up and get our prices. We can please you in Price, Quality and Style.

If you know an item of news

Tell it to Telephone No. 127.

No. 5765. Report of the Condition OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF HONDO,

at Hondo, in the State of Texas, at the close of business, Jan. 7th, 1911.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts, \$155,448.97

Overdrafts, secured and un-

secured, 6,041.60

U. S. Bonds to secure circu-

lation, 50,000.00

Premiums on U.S. Bonds,

suspense, 84.06

Banking house, Furniture

and fixtures, 5,000.00

Due from National Banks,

(not reserve agents), 1,528.99

Due from State and Private

Banks and Bankers, Trust

Companies, and Savings

Banks, 32.80

Due from approved reserve

agents, 25,502.22

Checks and other cash items,

Notes of other National

Banks, 395.00

Fractional paper currency,

nickles and cents, 87.71

Lawful Money reserve in

Bank viz: Specie, \$11,273.80

Legal-tender notes, 1,980.00

Redemption fund with U. S.

Treasurer (5 per cent circula'n) 2,500.00

TOTAL, \$259,953.19

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in, \$50,000.00

Surplus fund, 19,000.00

Undivided profits, less ex-

penses and taxes paid,

National Bank notes out-

standing, 722.29

50,000.00

Due to State and Private

Banks and Bankers, 1,073.59

Dividends unpaid, 1,900.00

Individual deposits subject

to check, 136,725.32

Reserved for taxes, 531.99

TOTAL, \$259,953.19

State of Texas, County of Medina, ss.

I, J. M. Finger, Cashier of the

above named bank, do solemnly swear

that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. M. FINGER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me

this 12th day of Jan., A. D. nineteen

hundred and eleven.

WITNESS my hand and notarial seal

on the date last aforesaid.

AUG. HORNUNG,

[SEAL] Notary Public.

CORRECT—ATTEST:

HY. ROTHE,

DIRECTORS.

P. JUNGMAN, JR.

Correct—Attest:

JOE FOHN,

ED. DE MONTEL,

GEO. W. JONES,

Directors.

T. A. White visited San Antonio Monday.

Geo. Muennink went to San Antonio Monday.

Phone or send us the news. We will appreciate it.

R. H. Hudspeth was an Alamo City visitor Tuesday.

Mesdames H. H. Heyen and F. H. Schweers visited D'Hanis Tuesday.

We can print most any thing in the job printing line. Get the Anvil Herald's prices.

C. E. Ragland left Saturday for Dallas, via Waco where he will visit a brother for a week.

For Sale.—A nice building lot one block west of the school building. See Hondo Land Co. tt.

W. J. G. Dullnig was here during the week. He accompanied his family to San Antonio Tuesday, returning Thursday.

The old directors and officers of the First National Bank were all re-elected at the annual election held at the bank last Tuesday.

Alfred Fletcher and family arrived yesterday from Wichita Falls on a visit to Mr. Fletcher's brother, Dr. J. H. Fletcher and wife.

Fritz Martin has purchased a half interest in the Drug Store business of F. H. Falkenberg. This makes a strong firm and we predict for them a successful business.

Heyen & Co. have bought out Stigler & Bandy at Tarpley and will conduct a branch store there with J. F. Bandy as manager. W. W. Nunn is there this week starting the new enterprise off.

Mrs. Wm. A. Schmitt returned home Saturday after an absence of several months in San Antonio for surgical treatment. Mrs. Schmitt's friends are pleased to learn that she has been restored to health.

We call especial attention to the official statements of Hondo's banks as published elsewhere in this issue. They speak for themselves as to the solidity of the institutions and the confidence reposed in them by the public.

Although the writing of editorials is the most congenial part of our work, we gladly give precedence to other matter of local interest, and invite special attention to the interesting features that crowd our columns this week.

The members of the Order of the Eastern Star enjoyed a swell banquet at the Armstrong Hotel Tuesday evening after the regular work of the lodge was finished. Those present are loud in their praises of the splendid spread made by Mrs. Johnston, the hotel proprietress.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT

OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION

OF THE

HONDO STATE BANK

AT HONDO, STATE OF TEXAS,

AT THE CLOSE OF BUS-

INESS ON THE 7TH

DAY OF JAN., 1911

Published in the Hondo Anvil Herald,

a newspaper printed and published at

Hondo, State of Texas, on the 14th

day of Jan., 1911.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts, \$62,128.10

Loans, real estate, 25,653.78

Overdrafts, 4,251.81

Real Estate (banking house) 6,164.70

Furniture and Fixtures, 1,935.52

Due from Approved

Reserve Agents, net, \$23,871.58

Due from other Banks and Bankers,

subject to check, 6,522,327.10

Cash Items, \$136.15

Currency, 8,728.00

Specie, 6,390.64 15,254.79

Other resources as follows: Interest in Bank Guaranty fund 1,061.12

TOTAL, \$140,327.92

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in, \$30,000.00

Surplus Fund, 2,000.00

Undivided Profits, net, 5,716.44

Individual Deposits, subject to check, 102,611.48

TOTAL, \$140,327.92

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF MEDINA, SS.

I, T. A. White as cashier of said bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

T. A. WHITE, Cashier.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 12th day of Jan., A. D. nineteen hundred and eleven.

WITNESS my hand and notarial seal on the date last aforesaid.

AUG. HORNUNG,

[SEAL] Notary Public.

CORRECT—ATTEST:

HY. ROTHE,

DIRECTORS.

P. JUNGMAN, JR.

Smashing Records to Restore Telephone Service.

Storms and wrecks frequently interfere with train service. When a town is suddenly cut off from communication with the outside world by rail, the effect is nothing short of a calamity. Interests of every sort suffer. How much more disastrous, then, is a serious interruption of telephone service. Complete isolation is the fate of the town or village when the wires are not carrying messages to and from the rest of the country.

Telephone service does not wait for time-tables—it makes no such demands upon the purse as railroad tickets, and comes into contact with a far greater proportion of the population than the railroads. A telephone reaches into points which railroads can never hope to touch. Hence the demands for all possible haste when fire, a short time ago, destroyed the telephone exchange in busy Longview, Texas. The town was, figuratively speaking in darkness and records were broken in rescuing it from its plight.

At 9:55 A. M. of the day of the fire the order from the Southwestern Telegraph & Telephone Company reached the Dallas office of the Western Electric Company, which supplies all the apparatus used by the Bell telephone companies. It called for a complete equipment to replace the one which had been burned, and a request was made for immediate delivery, as the town was without telephone service.

The entire order was placed on the Texas and Pacific train at 10:45 that morning, and the switchboard arrived in Longview a very short time later. When one considers how complex a piece of apparatus the modern telephone switchboard is the

**DO YOUR BUYING DURING
THIS SALE—SAVE MONEY**

**HUNDREDS OF ARTICLES WILL
BE SOLD FOR LESS THAN COST**

OUR GRAND JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE !

CONTINUES

Offering everything without reserve or restriction at ridiculously low prices. Garments priced so low that you really cannot afford to miss the opportunity of supplying your needs. Read the immense reduction offerings below and see if you need any of the articles that are placed in your way. It is our time to clear stocks and in order to do it quickly and completely we have shown no regard whatever for costs nor values—our aim is to

CLEAR AWAY STOCKS IMMEDIATELY

Purchasing Now While These Unusually Low Prices Exist is a Simple Matter of Color Choice.
The Remarkable Success of Our Clearance Sale Shows That the People are Keen Judges of Merchandise Values.

Do Not Miss the Inviting Feast of Bargains ! (THIS SALE FOR CASH ONLY)

Men's Suits	
\$5.00 Suits now	\$ 3.75
8.00 Suits now	9.35
10.00 Suits now	7.45
12.00 Suits now	8.05
12.50 Suits now	8.35

Men's and Boys' Hosiery	
All 15c Hosiery	.9c
25c Hosiery	18c
50c Hosiery	30c
(CADET BRAND NOT INCLUDED)	

EXTRA SPECIAL

Boys' Suits	
\$1.50 Suits now	\$1.10
2.50 Suits now	1.85
3.00 Suits now	2.24
3.50 Suits now	2.65
4.00 Suits now	2.95
5.00 Suits now	3.75

Trunks and Suit Cases	
All 1.50 Trunks now	.50 Underwear
2.50 Trunks now	.75 Underwear
3.50 Trunks now	1.00 Underwear
5.00 Trunks now	1.25 Underwear
8.00 Trunks now	1.50 Underwear
10.00 Trunks now	1.75 Underwear
12.00 Trunks now	2.00 Underwear

BIG REDUCTION ON SUITCASES

Blankets and Comforters	
All \$ 50 Kinds	
All \$ 75 Kinds	
All 1.00 Kinds	
All 1.25 Kinds	
All 1.50 Kinds	
All 1.75 Kinds	
All 2.00 Kinds	
All 2.50 Kinds	
All 3.50 Kinds	
All 5.00 Kinds	

Gloves

Gloves	
\$.50 Gloves now	
75 Gloves now	
1.00 Gloves now	
1.50 Gloves now	
2.00 Gloves now	
2.50 Gloves now	

Slippers

Slippers	
\$1.00 Slippers now	
1.25 Slippers now	
1.50 Slippers now	
1.75 Slippers now	
2.00 Slippers now	

Suspenders and Belt

Suspenders and Belt	
8.15 Kinds now	
25 Kinds now	
35 Kinds now	
50 Kinds now	
75 Kinds now	
1.00 Kinds now	
1.50 Kinds now	

Enamel and Tinware

Enamel and Tinware	
25c Buckets	19c 50c Sauce Pans
40c Buckets	29c 60c Sauce Pans
75c Rice Boilers	53c 25c Sauce Pans
50c Berlin Kettles	37c 35c Lipped Pans
60c Coffee Pots	43c 45c Lipped Pans
75c Water Pails	49c 10c Cups
75c Tea Kettles	56c 85c Coffee Boiler
1.00 Tea Kettles	73c 70c Dish Pans

Sugar \$1

Sugar \$1	
Our Selection Flour, per barrel in sacks	\$5.50
Choice Peaberry Coffee, per pound	18c
Good Fancy Rio Coffee, per pound	17c
15 Pounds Fancy Head Rice for	1.00
1 Pound Royal Baking Powder	.44c

Goods Specially Priced

90c Jars Preserves all kinds	.81c
25c Cranberry Sauce	.22c
20c Mustard	.12c
15c Mustard	.12c
30c Catsup	.25c
25c Pickles	.22c
35c India Relish	.31c
20c Pepper Sauce	.17c
25c Horse Radish	.22c
35c Pearl Onions	.31c
35c Mandalian Sauce	.25c
Lusterlite Lamp Oil, gallon	.12c
45c Mince Meat	.39c
25c package Oat Meal	.22c

Flour, bbl. in sacks \$5.40

25c California Canned Fruits	
No. 3s	.19c
15c Tomatoes, No. 3s	.11c
Early June Peas, No. 2s	.12c
Daisy Peas, No. 2s	.8c
3-lb. Red Top Axe Grease	.15c
35c 4-piece sets	.39c
50c 4-piece sets	.59c
75c 3-piece sets	.63c
1.00 4-piece sets	.83c

China and Glass Ware

Toilet Sets	
Fancy Bowls, Plates, Pitchers, Etc.	
10c kinds now only	.7c
15c kinds now only	.11c
20c kinds now only	.15c
30c kinds now only	.19c
50c kinds now only	.23c
50c kinds now only	.37c
75c kinds now only	.63c

Toilet Sets \$3.75	
25c Fruit Bowls	.19c
40c Fruit Bowls	.29c
35c 4-piece sets	.23c
50c 4-piece sets	.39c
75c 3-piece sets	.63c
1.00 4-piece sets	.83c

Toilet Sets \$4.39	
25c 4-piece sets	.23c
35c 4-piece sets	.39c
50c 4-piece sets	.59c
75c 3-piece sets	.63c
1.00 4-piece sets	.83c

Toilet Sets \$5.48	

</tbl

**DO YOUR BUYING DURING
THIS SALE—SAVE MONEY**

**HUNDREDS OF ARTICLES WILL
BE SOLD FOR LESS THAN COST**

OUR GRAND JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE!

CONTINUES

Offering everything without r
really cannot afford to miss the
and see if you need any of the
do it quickly and completer

CLEAR

Purchasing Now While
The Remarkable Success of C

Do Not Miss

Men's Suits	
\$5.00 Suits now.	\$3.75
8.00 Suits now.	5.50
10.00 Suits now.	6.45
12.00 Suits now.	8.00
14.00 Suits now.	10.00
16.00 Suits now.	11.25
18.00 Suits now.	12.50
20.00 Suits now.	13.75
22.00 Overcoats now.	16.95
25.00 Overcoats now.	18.70

Men's and Boys' Hc	
15c Hosiery	43
25c Hosiery	60
50c Hosiery	89
100c Hosiery	109
All 1.00 Underwear	1.33
All 1.25 Underwear	1.70
All 1.50 Underwear	1.70
All 2.00 Underwear	1.70

(CADET BRAND NOT INCLUDED)

Boys' Suits	
\$1.50 Suits now.	\$1.10
2.50 Suits now.	1.85
3.00 Suits now.	2.24
3.50 Suits now.	2.65
4.00 Suits now.	2.95
5.00 Suits now.	3.75

BIG REDUCTION ON SUITCASES.	
All \$1.50 Trunks now.	\$1.32
2.50 Trunks now.	2.11
3.50 Trunks now.	2.96
5.00 Trunks now.	4.23
8.00 Trunks now.	6.93
10.00 Trunks now.	8.45
12.00 Trunks now.	10.20

Blankets and Comforts	
All \$1.50 Kinds...	\$4.42
All \$2.00 Kinds...	6.66
All 1.00 Kinds...	8.83
All 1.25 Kinds...	1.08
All 1.50 Kinds...	1.28
All 1.75 Kinds...	1.52
All 2.00 Kinds...	1.69
All 2.50 Kinds...	2.11
All 3.50 Kinds...	2.96
3.00 Trousers...	2.24
3.50 Trousers...	2.65
5.00 Trousers...	3.75

Men's and Boys' Trousers	
\$5.50 Trousers...	\$3.88
7.50 Trousers...	5.59
1.00 Trousers...	7.50
1.50 Trousers...	1.10
2.00 Trousers...	1.49
2.50 Trousers...	1.85
3.00 Trousers...	2.24
3.50 Trousers...	2.65
5.00 Trousers...	3.75

Men's and Boys' Hats	
1.00 Hats now...	\$8.89
1.50 Hats now...	1.33
2.00 Hats now...	1.79
2.50 Hats now...	2.23
3.00 Hats now...	2.69
3.50 Hats now...	3.15
STETSON HATS	Not included during this Sale.

Caps	
Men's and Boys' 25c Caps	18c
Men's and Boys' 35c Caps	25c
Men's and Boys' 50c Caps	39c
Men's 75c Caps	.57c
Men's \$1.00 Caps	.74c

Enamel and Tinware	
25c Buckets	19c
40c Buckets	29c
75c Rice Boilers	53c
50c Berlin Kettles	37c
60c Coffee Pots	43c
75c Water Pans	49c
75c Tea Kettles	56c
1.00 Tea Kettles	73c
50c Sauce Pans	50c
60c Sauce Pans	60c
25c Lipped Pans	25c
45c Lipped Pans	45c
10c Cups	10c
10c Fork	8c
5c Pie Plates	4c

Suspender and Belts	
15c Kind now...	\$8.12
25c Kind now...	19c
35c Kind now...	28c
50c Kind now...	39c
75c Kind now...	58c
100 Kind now...	79c
150 Kind now...	1.18

Stoves	
BUCK'S	
\$12.00 Stoves	\$10.63
14.50 Stoves	12.33
17.50 Stoves	14.88
20.00 Stoves	17.00
30.00 Stoves	25.50

Gloves	
\$1.50 Gloves now...	\$8.42
75c Gloves now...	63c
1.00 Gloves now...	85c
1.50 Gloves now...	1.28
2.00 Gloves now...	1.69
2.50 Gloves now...	2.15

Slippers	
\$1.00 Slippers now...	\$8.88
1.25 Slippers now...	1.10
1.50 Slippers now...	1.35
1.75 Slippers now...	1.58
2.00 Slippers now...	1.79

Furniture	
\$37.50 Oak Bed Room Suites...	\$31.50
15.75 Plush Lounge	14.88
32.50 Side Boards	27.60
32.50 China Closets	27.60
22.50 Mantel Beds	18.95
6.00 Oak Rockers	4.95
5.75 Reed Rockers	4.75

Rugs	
BUCK'S	
\$12.00 Rugs	\$10.63
14.50 Rugs	12.33
17.50 Rugs	14.88
20.00 Rugs	17.00
30.00 Rugs	25.50

Linoleums	
50c Linoleum	44

THE HONDO ANVIL HERALD.

Published Weekly...Every Saturday Morning.

—BY—

FLETCHER DAVIS,
Editor and Proprietor.

MRS. ROBERTA DAVIS,
Assistant Editor.

OFFICE: ANVIL HERALD BUILDING, HALF A BLOCK SOUTH OF DEPOT.
For the Commercial, Agricultural and Industrial development of Medina County
and Hondo. An Independent local newspaper.
SUBSCRIPTION: \$1.00 A YEAR. ADVERTISING RATES REASONABLE.

Entered at the Postoffice at Hondo, Texas, as second-class mail matter.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 14, 1911.

Patronize our advertisers; it pays.
—Chocolates and Bon Bons at Hutzler's.

L. A. Haby was here Tuesday from Dunlap.

Mention the Anvil Herald to our advertisers.

That Dollar Razor guaranteed. Holloway Bros.

Geo. Bailey was a San Antonio visitor Thursday.

Miss Bessie Moore went to San Antonio Tuesday.

Hames, trace chains and collar pads. Holloway Bros.

Mrs. W. H. Smith is back from her visit to Arizona.

Miss Ethel Gaines is back from her visit to San Antonio.

Kryptok invisible bifocals at James Pluck's optical office.

If your horses need shoeing bring them to Mechler's shop.

The Canton Planter is sold under a strict guarantee. Holloway Bros.

W. C. Horger is looking after business interests in Cotulla this week.

Mrs. W. C. Horger and little daughter are back from their visit to Eagle Pass.

Remember Windrow's Drug Store when you want Toilet Soaps; all kinds here.

Blank Books, Ledgers, Pocket Memoranda, etc., at Windrow's Drug Store.

Matt Cramer, Esq., was here from Devine the first of the week on legal business.

Miss Verbie Horger left Tuesday for Plainview to resume her studies in school at that place.

See the window display of the famous Club House line of fancy canned goods at Heyen & Co's.

Several brands of cigars for sale below cost. Regular 5c seller now two for 5c. Fritz Frerichs.

For the best blood cleanser and purifier try Watkin's Sarsaparilla. Sold by O. S. Wallace, agent.

Messrs. J. U. and John Zuberbueler were here Saturday and again Tuesday from Dallas on business.

Mrs. J. L. Brown of San Antonio was the guest of her mother, Mrs. B. Merriweather, the first of the week.

Lost, a gold stick-pin with a blue stone set. Finder will please return to this office and receive reward.

Liniment for bruises, pains, cramps, etc., in man or beast. O. S. Wallace, agent for Watkin's Remedies.

When contemplating the purchase of a hack or buggy get E. R. Leinweber's prices on the John Deere line.

O. S. Wallace sells the famous Watkin's Extracts and Spices, the best and cheapest on the market. See him.

Since the cotton season opened up there had been shipped from this point 4815 bales of cotton up to Thursday night of this week.

After Jan. 1st, I will have a select stock of Picture Moulding and can frame your pictures promptly.

McLeod's Studio.

COMING! THE BLONDIN SHOW (UNDER CANVAS)

SATURDAY, JAN. 21, 1911

PRESENTING—

"The Cowboy, Indian and the Lady"

A New Western Comedy Drama

SPECIAL CARS
Show at Night Only

BAND AND ORCHESTRA
Parade at Noon

That Dollar Razor guaranteed. Holloway Bros.

The Canton Planter does the work. Holloway Bros.

The Watkin's toilet preparations are the best on the market. Buy them from O. S. Wallace, agent.

Call at E. R. Leinweber's hack and buggy repository and get his prices before purchasing a vehicle.

E. R. Leinweber sells the celebrated John Deere hacks and buggies. Call on him for prices before buying.

Watkin's Lung Balsam will stop that cough and heal and soothe your sore lungs. Sold by O. S. Wallace, Agent.

For Sale, —363 acres, all in cultivation, good black loamy soil. A new \$3200 house, three rent houses, good water, good fences; 2 miles from Post Office, school and depot, \$50.00 per acre, easy terms. If you have the money and want this farm apply at once to Hondo Land Co. No time to waste.

Taken Up, A red spotted heifer, three years old, unmarked and unbranded. Owner will please call, identify property, and pay the costs of the same. H. H. Balzen, New Fountain.

Chas. Winkler invites all of his Medina County friends to call on him at 625 Jones Ave., San Antonio. Take the Tobin Hill car and get off on east Elmira St.

A nice line of dress goods, ginghams, chambrays, etc., just arrived at Heyen & Co's.

The Canton Planter is sold under a strict guarantee. Holloway Bros.

Alabastine is better than white wash; try it. Holloway Bros.



Compensation is the term applied to the methods used to secure a uniformity of time in the varying temperatures to which a watch is exposed.

The cause of the error is the expansions and contractions of metals.

The South Bend Balance wheel is made of two metals of unequal expansion, so proportioned, one to the other, that the expansion and contraction is neutralized perfectly. A South Bend Watch keeps time in all temperatures, as well as in all positions.

V. A. CROW

ELECTRIC Moving Pictures

We are permanently located in your city and will show every night in the week 2000 feet of new film. Souvenirs given to the ladies one night each week. Look for dates prizes are to be given away. We are here to please.

Admission: Adults 10c, Children 5 to 8 Years 5c
Two Shows Each Night, 7:30 and 8:30

We are located in the Fred Metzger Building [fire proof] on N. Front street

THE ATTRACTION OF THE SEASON

AT AUDITORIUM
ONE NIGHT ONLY
TUESDAY, JAN. 17

The Remarkable Young Romantic Actor

Mr. GILMOR BROWN

Presents the Famous English Comedy Drama

"DAVID GARRICK"

Special Scenery and Costumes!

PRICES: First 3 Rows, \$1.00.

Next 7 Rows, 75 cts.

General Admission, 25 and 50 cts.

That Dollar Razor guaranteed. Holloway Bros.

The Canton Planter does the work. Holloway Bros.

The Watkin's toilet preparations are the best on the market. Buy them from O. S. Wallace, agent.

Call at E. R. Leinweber's hack and buggy repository and get his prices before purchasing a vehicle.

E. R. Leinweber sells the celebrated John Deere hacks and buggies. Call on him for prices before buying.

Watkin's Lung Balsam will stop that cough and heal and soothe your sore lungs. Sold by O. S. Wallace, Agent.

For Sale, —363 acres, all in cultivation, good black loamy soil. A new \$3200 house, three rent houses, good water, good fences; 2 miles from Post Office, school and depot, \$50.00 per acre, easy terms. If you have the money and want this farm apply at once to Hondo Land Co. No time to waste.

Taken Up, A red spotted heifer, three years old, unmarked and unbranded. Owner will please call, identify property, and pay the costs of the same. H. H. Balzen, New Fountain.

Chas. Winkler invites all of his Medina County friends to call on him at 625 Jones Ave., San Antonio. Take the Tobin Hill car and get off on east Elmira St.

A nice line of dress goods, ginghams, chambrays, etc., just arrived at Heyen & Co's.

The Canton Planter is sold under a strict guarantee. Holloway Bros.

Alabastine is better than white wash; try it. Holloway Bros.

For the best blood cleanser and purifier try Watkin's Sarsaparilla. Sold by O. S. Wallace, agent.

Messrs. J. U. and John Zuberbueler were here Saturday and again Tuesday from Dallas on business.

Mrs. J. L. Brown of San Antonio was the guest of her mother, Mrs. B. Merriweather, the first of the week.

Lost, a gold stick-pin with a blue stone set. Finder will please return to this office and receive reward.

Liniment for bruises, pains, cramps, etc., in man or beast. O. S. Wallace, agent for Watkin's Remedies.

When contemplating the purchase of a hack or buggy get E. R. Leinweber's prices on the John Deere line.

O. S. Wallace sells the famous Watkin's Extracts and Spices, the best and cheapest on the market. See him.

Since the cotton season opened up there had been shipped from this point 4815 bales of cotton up to Thursday night of this week.

After Jan. 1st, I will have a select stock of Picture Moulding and can frame your pictures promptly.

McLeod's Studio.

That Dollar Razor guaranteed. Holloway Bros.

The Canton Planter does the work. Holloway Bros.

The Watkin's toilet preparations are the best on the market. Buy them from O. S. Wallace, agent.

Call at E. R. Leinweber's hack and buggy repository and get his prices before purchasing a vehicle.

E. R. Leinweber sells the celebrated John Deere hacks and buggies. Call on him for prices before buying.

Watkin's Lung Balsam will stop that cough and heal and soothe your sore lungs. Sold by O. S. Wallace, Agent.

For Sale, —363 acres, all in cultivation, good black loamy soil. A new \$3200 house, three rent houses, good water, good fences; 2 miles from Post Office, school and depot, \$50.00 per acre, easy terms. If you have the money and want this farm apply at once to Hondo Land Co. No time to waste.

Taken Up, A red spotted heifer, three years old, unmarked and unbranded. Owner will please call, identify property, and pay the costs of the same. H. H. Balzen, New Fountain.

Chas. Winkler invites all of his Medina County friends to call on him at 625 Jones Ave., San Antonio. Take the Tobin Hill car and get off on east Elmira St.

A nice line of dress goods, ginghams, chambrays, etc., just arrived at Heyen & Co's.

The Canton Planter is sold under a strict guarantee. Holloway Bros.

Alabastine is better than white wash; try it. Holloway Bros.

For the best blood cleanser and purifier try Watkin's Sarsaparilla. Sold by O. S. Wallace, agent.

Messrs. J. U. and John Zuberbueler were here Saturday and again Tuesday from Dallas on business.

Mrs. J. L. Brown of San Antonio was the guest of her mother, Mrs. B. Merriweather, the first of the week.

Lost, a gold stick-pin with a blue stone set. Finder will please return to this office and receive reward.

Liniment for bruises, pains, cramps, etc., in man or beast. O. S. Wallace, agent for Watkin's Remedies.

When contemplating the purchase of a hack or buggy get E. R. Leinweber's prices on the John Deere line.

O. S. Wallace sells the famous Watkin's Extracts and Spices, the best and cheapest on the market. See him.

Since the cotton season opened up there had been shipped from this point 4815 bales of cotton up to Thursday night of this week.

After Jan. 1st, I will have a select stock of Picture Moulding and can frame your pictures promptly.

McLeod's Studio.

That Dollar Razor guaranteed. Holloway Bros.

The Canton Planter does the work. Holloway Bros.

The Watkin's toilet preparations are the best on the market. Buy them from O. S. Wallace, agent.

Call at E. R. Leinweber's hack and buggy repository and get his prices before purchasing a vehicle.

E. R. Leinweber sells the celebrated John Deere hacks and buggies. Call on him for prices before buying.

Watkin's Lung Balsam will stop that cough and heal and soothe your sore lungs. Sold by O. S. Wallace, Agent.

For Sale, —363 acres, all in cultivation, good black loamy soil. A new \$3200 house, three rent houses, good water, good fences; 2 miles from Post Office, school and depot, \$50.00 per acre, easy terms. If you have the money and want this farm apply at once to Hondo Land Co. No time to waste.

Taken Up, A red spotted heifer, three years old, unmarked and unbranded. Owner will please call, identify property, and pay the costs of the same. H. H. Balzen, New Fountain.

Chas. Winkler invites all of his Medina County friends to call on him at 625 Jones Ave., San Antonio. Take the Tobin Hill car and get off on east Elmira St.

A nice line of dress goods, ginghams, chambrays, etc., just arrived at Heyen & Co's.

The Canton Planter is sold under a strict guarantee. Holloway Bros.

Alabastine is better than white wash; try it. Holloway Bros.

For the best blood cleanser and purifier try Watkin's Sarsaparilla. Sold by O. S. Wallace, agent.

Messrs. J. U. and John Zuberbueler were here Saturday and again Tuesday from Dallas on business.

Mrs. J. L. Brown of San Antonio was the guest of her mother, Mrs. B. Merriweather, the first of the week.

Lost, a gold stick-pin with a blue stone set. Finder will please return to this office and receive reward.

Liniment for bruises, pains, cramps, etc., in man or beast. O. S. Wallace, agent for Watkin's Remedies.

When contemplating the purchase of a hack or buggy get E. R. Leinweber's prices on the John Deere line.

O. S. Wallace sells the famous Watkin's Extracts and Spices, the best and cheapest on the market. See him.

Since the cotton season opened up there had been shipped from this point 4815 bales of cotton up to Thursday night of this week.

After Jan. 1st, I will have a select stock of Picture Moulding and can frame your pictures promptly.

McLeod's Studio.

That Dollar Razor guaranteed. Holloway

C. J. BLESS

DEALER IN EVERYTHING IN
GENERAL MERCHANDISE

Solicits a share of your patronage on the assurance of selling GOOD GOODS AT PROPER PRICES. He pays highest market price for all kinds of country produce. Ring Telephone 42 and place your orders.

PROMPT FREE DELIVERY TO ANY PART OF THE CITY

PERSONALS

Get it at Windrow's.
Cranberries at Hutzler's.
Tell them where you saw their ad.
Harrows! look at them at Holloway Bros.

Fresh Chocolates and Bon Bons at Hutzler's.

Emil Kreisle was here Tuesday from the Francisco.

The Canton Planter does the work at Holloway Bros.

Try the John Deere Buggy. Sold by E. R. Leinweber.

Walnuts, Almonds, Brazil Nuts and Pecans at Hutzler's.

Wanted, a good reliable farm hand. Apply at this office. t.f.

Ask your neighbor about the Canton Planter. Holloway Bros.

The best Picture Frames ever seen in Hondo at McLeod's Studio.

The John Deere hack will give satisfaction. See E. R. Leinweber.

Miss Mattie Bredien returned Wednesday from a visit to D' Hanis.

Work called for and delivered, Bailey, "thee tailor." Phone 1-2-5.

It does not cost you one cent to try the Canton Planter. Holloway Bros.

Watkin's Laxtone for the babies has no equal. See O. S. Wallace, Agent.

Watkin's Cough Cure will stop that cough. Try it. O. S. Wallace, agent.

Miss Minnie Bendele went to San Antonio Wednesday to spend some time.

For Sale—Second hand Plows, Cultivators and Riding Planters. Mechler's Shop.

Everything in Face Creams, Camphor Ice, etc., at Windrow's Drug Store.

The John Deere line of hacks and buggies give satisfaction. E. R. Leinweber.

Mrs. Bertha Williams left Saturday for a visit to her old home at Cuero, returning yesterday.

R. Tatesh of Kinney Co. spent several days here this week, the guest of his friend, Charles Filleman.

Send the Anvil Herald to your relatives and friends elsewhere. It will be a weekly news-letter to them.

Meet me at the Soda Fountain. Cool, sparkling drinks served from the beautiful fountain at Hutzler's.

Tom McClaugherty writes us that he is doing fine in his new home at Standart where he is section foreman.

Wedding invitations, calling cards, etc. printed in the latest and most approved style at the Anvil Herald office.

Any one wishing to save money on the purchase of a new piano will find it to his interest to consult the editor of this paper.

Lost, Dec. 27th, between E. R. Leinweber's residence and Fulton's Stable, a boy's black hat. Finder will please return to this office and receive reward.

The dishes that were left over from the Mother's Club dinner can now be found at Bless' store instead of Mrs. Monkhouse's. Parties are requested to call and get them.

We are requested to announce that hereafter there will be Mass and the Sunday sermon at the Catholic Church at 9:30 A. M. every Sunday and Sunday school and instruction at 4 o'clock P. M.

FOR SALE, three choice lots, south-east corner block, and a neat three-room house near the school house for \$1600. Will sell house and one inside lot for \$1400. Either proposition is a bargain. See the Hondo Land Co., Taylor & Davis, Managers.

Blondin's big show, "The Cowboy, Indian and the Lady," will give the performance at night, the world's greatest cowboy, Cuba Crutchfield, spinning over one hundred feet of rope, Prof. Marshes' Canadian orchestra giving two grand concerts before the show starts. The Blondin show gives more free than most shows charge to see. Saturday, January 21.

Lacoste Laconics.

BY BLUE BELLE
ED. ANVIL HERALD:

Well, as the New Year has come, I thought I would take up my letter to the Anvil Herald, as my friend is kept too busy at present to write regularly. The new year has begun in earnest with our church. On Monday, Jan. 2, 1911, ten or fifteen men with their teams started hauling material, such as lumber, gravel, sand and brick, to the north-east part of town, where Mr. Emil Zinsmeister donated three acres of land for the Lacoste church. This will be a great improvement for the city and still greater for the people.

Miss Elizabeth Waltisperger left for her home in San Antonio, after a six months' stay here with relatives.

A grand show was given here Saturday night.

Miss Elsie Kruize of Converse visited her Uncle and Aunt, Mr. and Mrs. C. Kruize, during the holidays.

Mrs. McMillan and daughter, Miss Loma, of San Antonio were here to attend the New Year's dance last Saturday night.

Misses Lina and Emma Geiger spent the holidays with relatives and friends in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Moore and baby, Marguerite, returned from a week's visit to relatives at Bigfoot last Sunday.

Mr. Geo. Christilles of Noonan was sporting a brand new automobile around town today (Thursday).

Mr. Arthur Bippert of Devine was seen on our streets today.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Schmidt spent a few days in San Antonio last week.

Mr. Geo. Soltner and wife of San Antonio spent New Year's with Capt. Schmidt and wife.

Mr. Arthur Metzger and Miss Lizzie Krause of San Antonio spent New Year's with Misses Ida and Mary Kaufmann. They were accompanied home by Mrs. M. A. Kaufmann and Miss Maggie Krause, who spent the week with her grandmother at Idlewild.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Gus. Kroeger was baptized in the Catholic church last Thursday. The sponsors were Mr. Alfred Mangold and Miss Maggie Krause of San Antonio. The name given the little fellow was Nicholas Walter.

Miss Ida Reicherzer is home from San Antonio after a few months' stay at that place.

Miss Mary Hawkes is spending the week with relatives at Cline.

Miss Irma Loessberg is spending a two week's vacation with her cousins at Hondo.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Droitcourt was baptized in the Catholic church Sunday last with Mr. John Droitcourt and Miss Regina Mangold as sponsors. The name given the little Miss was Myrtle Margaret.

Miss Emma Sauer of Brackett spent last week with Miss Nora Loessberg of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Krieger and children spent the holidays with relatives at San Antonio and Laverna.

Misses Lina and Minnie Graff of Hondo spent Christmas with Misses Nora and Irma Loessberg at this place.

Miss Hilda Rihm of Spindletop spent a week with her aunt, Mrs. Frank Keller.

Prof. A. W. Myres, the New Fountain teacher, attended the Christmas and New Year dances at Castroville and Lacoste.

Mr. John Koenig and family took a flying trip to Macdona to visit kin-folks and friends.

Misses Nora Loessberg and Regina Mangold spent the day Sunday with Misses Mollie and Annie Vollmering at Mustang Prairie.

Misses Regina Mangold and Helen Jungman spent the afternoon with the Misses Kruize last Monday.

Mrs. Joe Keller of Castroville is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Gus. Keller.

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Jungmann made a flying trip to Devine one day last week.

Messrs. Geo. and Fred Hawkes returned from their hunting trip to Cline today.

Messrs. Nic. Tschirhart and Andrew Halbardier, two properous young men of Castroville, were sporting around town today.

Mrs. Adolph Ahr and daughters of Cline visited home folks here last week.

Miss Kathleen Lynch spent last week at Hondo. She was accompanied home by Miss Louise Metzger of Hondo.

Mr. Bob Swearingen visited in Cline some time ago.

Mr. Duke Fitch from the North Pole is here to visit his friend, Dr. L. A. Koontz.

Mr. Chas. Reicherzer was very ill last week but at this writing is much better.

Messrs. Joe Biry, Henry Reus, Conrad Loessberg, Mike Franger and Otto Bippert were out hunting down at St. Michael. They returned home today with six big deer.

Miss Ida Etter was here to spend the holidays with homefolks. She returned to San Antonio one day this week.

Miss Florentina Keller, who is attending school at Castroville, spent the holidays with her parents at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Jungmann, Mrs.

W. A. Luckenbach and Miss Ida Reicherzer spent Sunday with relatives and friends at Potrano.

Mr. Ed Geyer and family and Mrs. Louisa Geyer visited Mr. Henry Mann and family at Mustang Prairie.

The dance that was given by the W. O. W. New Year's Eve was largely attended. People from San Antonio, Atascosa, Macdona, Lytle, Castroville, and Mustang Prairie were present. The dance broke up at 4 o'clock A. M., and all reported a fine time.

Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Vollmering of Mustang Prairie visited Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Loessberg Sunday.

Mr. Emil Moeller and family of San Antonio spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Moeller.

Miss Sophie Geiger left for San Antonio yesterday where she will stay for a few months.

Lacoste, Tex., Jan. 10, 1911.

Herman Sons' Smoker.

The local lodge of Sons of Herman held its business meeting last Saturday night. The members enjoyed a smoker after the business session.

President Joe Fohn read an interesting paper on "The Life and History of Herman," after whom the order is named.

Matt Rath delivered an instructive and interesting speech about the benefits to be derived from the lodge, and also took a retrospective view of the past year. He urged the members to take more interest in the lodge and attend regularly. Mr. Rath said he was gratified that the lodge had not lost a member by death during the past year, and hoped none would die this year. But if a member should die he urged the brethren to show themselves to be true Herman Sons in spirit as well as in name and take care of the widow and orphans. The speech was too long to publish in full, but was very much enjoyed by all present.

At the proper time a palatable repast—together with laager beer—was served.

During the evening several German songs, among them, "Die Wacht am Rhein," were rendered by Messrs. Aug. Schuehle, Matt. Rath, Nic. Toby and John Koch.

August Schuehle, (better known as Sly) the silver-tongued orator, also delivered an able address during the "Abenunderhaltung." —PINKIE.

Rainfall at Hondo.

County Judge H. E. Haass, who is also the government weather observer at this point, has kept a record of the annual rainfall for the past several years.

Below we give the figures from the time he began keeping them:

Total rainfall 1899	23.17
Total rainfall 1900	38.67
Total rainfall 1901	17.46
Total rainfall 1902	25.68
Total rainfall 1903	36.91
Total rainfall 1904	28.97
Total rainfall 1905	33.47
Total rainfall 1906	31.65
Total rainfall 1907	32.87
Total rainfall 1908	28.89
Total rainfall 1909	17.54
Total rainfall 1910	18.04

Average for past twelve years 27.77.

—

"Blondin's Big Show."

"The Cowboy, Indian and the Lady," this powerful comedy drama of life in the southwest, has made a remarkable appeal to the show goers. It touches with force the romantic spirit inherent in everyone. Its story is true to the heart and nature. Its characters are strikingly well drawn and cleverly contrasted and the entire performance teems with fascinating dash from start to finish. It is so real in the personalities who tell the story of The Cowboy, Indian and the Lady that one is translated and for a time becomes actually a participant in these stirring events of the play. The peculiar building of the play is a distinct novelty. All the scenes are laid to make the story real.

Saturday, Jan. 21.

Commissioners' Court.

Commissioners Court convened here Monday in special session to receive reports of road overseers and to appoint new ones for the ensuing two years.

Commissioners B. H. Brucks of Hondo, Aug. Tschirhart of Castroville, Golden Grant of Devine J. B. Ney of D' Hanis and the usual officers were present.

Aside from approving a few accounts only road matters were transacted and court adjourned Wednesday afternoon.

A list of the overseers will be published when their commissions are issued.

A Good Show.

Blondin's big show in the new comedy drama, "The Cowboy, Indian and the Lady". The best of all under-canvas shows. Band parade at 1:00 p. m. Saturday, Jan. 21, 1911.

After Jan. 1st, I will have a select Stock of Picture Moulding and can frame your pictures promptly.

McLeod's Studio.

FOR SALE—100 bushels Mebane Cotton Seed. Apply to Frank Moore, Hondo, Texas. Phone 22, 1 long, 2 shorts.

"Go And Hear"

Ferris Taylor sing "Nobody Knows, Nobody Cares," Eleanor Blondin in "Certainly Going to do What I Please," Miss Mann sings "Stop Making Faces at Me," and other musical numbers with the Blondin Show. Saturday, January 21.

Let L. J. Brucks prepare your abstracts. He represents the Garner Abstract & Land Co. There is never any complaint about a Garner Abstract.

For Sale—Two-story house and three lots in Hondo, near court house, known as the J. A. Burns property, at a bargain price. Mrs. J. A. Burns, 1102 Victoria St., San Antonio, Texas.

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

PHONE 61
We'll Do
The Rest

E. F. Martin

BLACKSMITH AND WHEELWRIGHT

All kinds of blacksmithing, repair work, horse-shoeing, tire-setting, etc. promptly done and at reasonable prices. Give me a trial.

Give me a trial on Rubber Tire Setting.

T. A. WHITE, Cashier.
H. F. KING, Asst. Cash.

HONDO STATE BANK

A GUARANTY FUND BANK

The non-interest bearing and unsecured deposits of this bank are protected by the State Bank Guaranty Fund.

GEO. W. JONES, President
ED DE MONTEL, Vice-President
J. M. FINGER, Cashier
HORACE BRADLEY, Asst. Cashier

The First National Bank OF HONDO, TEXAS

C

A Morning Reminder.

You awake with a mean, nasty taste in the mouth, which reminds you that your stomach is in a bad condition. It should also remind you that there is nothing so good for a disordered stomach as Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets.

They build up the system, assist nature to restore natural conditions, and are so gentle in their action that one hardly realizes a medicine was taken. Chamberlain's Tablets are sold everywhere. Price 25¢.

KILL THE COUGH AND CURE THE LUNGS

WITH DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY

END COUGHS SINCE 50¢ & \$1.00
COLDS TRIAL BOTTLE FREE
AND ALL THROAT AND LUNG TROUBLES

GUARANTEED SATISFACTORY OR MONEY REFUNDED.

HOTEL ALAMO

"Europian"
RESTAURANT CAFE
....Attached....

A. GUGENHEIM, Proprietor.

San Antonio, Texas.

Fritz Meyer

Invites his Medina county friends to call on him at

204 Navarro Street
San Antonio

J.F. RIPP'S Seed & Paint Store

NOTICE—Special price on onion sets. Now is the time for planting onion sets. Choice Yellow or Red, per bushel, \$2.50. 5 bushels or more at \$2.35 bushel.

All kinds of garden and field seed for planting. Send 10¢ for a nice illustrated catalogue and 2 packages of garden seed.

Breeder of Rhode Island Reds and S. C. White Leghorns. Eggs for hatching, S. C. White Leghorns, \$2 for 15. Rhode Island Reds, \$3 for 15.

J. F. RIPP'S, San Antonio, Tex.
New Phone 320 528 Market St.

Foley's Kidney Pills

What They Will Do for You

They will cure your backache, strengthen your kidneys, correct urinary irregularities, build up the worn out tissues, and eliminate the excess uric acid that causes rheumatism. Prevent Bright's Disease and Diabetes, and restore health and strength. Refuse substitutes.

W. H. WINDROW.

THE WORLD'S GREATEST SEWING MACHINE

LIGHT RUNNING NEWHOME



If you want either a Vibrating Shuttle, Rotary Shuttle or a Single Thread [Chain Stitch] Sewing Machine write to

THE NEW HOME SEWING MACHINE COMPANY

Orange, Mass.

Many sewing machines are made to sell regardless of quality, but the New Home is made to wear.

Our guarantee never runs out.

Sold by authorized dealers only.

FOR SALE BY

Household Furniture Store,

San Antonio, Texas.

WELCOME WORDS TO WOMEN

Women who suffer with disorders peculiar to their sex should write to Dr. Pierce and receive free the advice of a physician of over 40 years' experience—a skilled and successful specialist in the diseases of women. Every letter of this sort has the most careful consideration and is regarded as sacredly confidential. Many sensitively modest women write fully to Dr. Pierce what they would shrink from telling to their local physician. The local physician is pretty sure to say that he cannot do anything without "an examination." Dr. Pierce holds that these distasteful examinations are generally needless, and that no woman, except in rare cases, should submit to them.

Dr. Pierce's treatment will cure you right in the privacy of your own home. His "Favorite Prescription" has cured hundreds of thousands, some of them the worst of cases.

It is the only medicine of its kind that is the product of a regularly graduated physician. The only one good enough that its makers dare to print its every ingredient on its outside wrapper. There's no secrecy. It will bear examination. No alcohol and no habit-forming drugs are found in it. Some unscrupulous medicine dealers may offer you a substitute. Don't take it. Don't trifl with your health. Write to World's Dispensary Medical Association, Dr. R. V. Pierce, President, Buffalo, N. Y.—take the advice received and be well.



D'HANIS DOINGS.

Items of Interest Culled or Condensed from The D'Hanis News.

Mr John M. Koch, our popular hotel proprietor, is still alive to the town and the beautifying of the same. The brewery depot has received a new coat of paint and a new sign, and starts the new year in its new dress to be as popular as ever.

Last Monday night, Dec. 25, saw a select crowd of young ladies and gentlemen in D'Hanis the attraction being two swell dances, one at the hall of Messrs. Sauter & Koch, and the other being the first opening of the hall of Mr. Louis Carle. Both halls were filled to overflowing with the elite of D'Hanis and vicinity. The young people report a fine time.

Mr. Louis Carle Jr. who has been spending the holidays with the home folks returned to St. Louis College Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Tondre, spent the Happy New Year's day at Mr. and Mrs. Anton Ney's.

Mr. V. A Johnson, our popular ranchman, who lives twelve miles south of town, last week purchased Mr. Hearne's Apiary and all its appurtenances and will locate the same on his ranch. The process of moving has already begun and by the last of the week the Apiary will be installed in its new home. We understand that the former owner, Mr. Hearne, who is an adept in the art of handling bees, will have the future charge. While we regret to lose Mr. Hearne, we feel that our loss will be Mr. Johnson's gain.

Foley Kidney Pills.

Are tonic in action, quick in results. A special medicine for all kidney and bladder disorders. Mary C. Abbott, Wolfeboro, N. H., says: "I was afflicted with a bad case of rheumatism, due to uric acid that my kidneys failed to clear out of my blood. I was so lame in my feet joints, and back, that it was agony for me to step. I used Foley Kidney Pills for three days when I was able to get up and move about and the pains were all gone. This great change in condition I owe to Foley Kidney Pills, and recommend them to anyone suffering as I have." W. H. Windrow.

Young Rockefeller is not a wild, reckless youth, going through papa's millions at a whirlwind rate. He managed to tip the car porter with a five dollar bill, after the porter had attended to his wants for six weeks. When the Rockefellers burn money they use a slow fire!

Saves Two Lives.

"Neither my sister nor myself might be living to-day, if it had not been for Dr. King's New Discovery," writes A. D. McDonald of Fayetteville, N. C. R. F. D. No. 8, "for we both had frightful coughs that no other remedy could help. We were told that my sister had consumption. She was very weak and had night sweats but your wonderful medicine completely cured us both. It's the best I ever used or heard of." For sore lungs, coughs, colds, hemorrhage, lagrippe, asthma, hay fever, croup, whooping cough—all bronchial troubles,—its supreme. Trial bottle free. 50c. and \$1.00. Guaranteed by W. H. Windrow.

Even if woman is becoming more masculine, as the Harvard man says, very few husbands will care to expatriate upon the theme by their happy firesides!

C. J. Simon, Memphis.

Very often young people, at an age when they should be in the prime of health, suffer from chronic constipation and nothing seems to help them. It was so with Mr. C. J. Simon of Memphis, Tenn. until he took Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, and now he is permanently cured. It will also cure indigestion, heartburn, flatulence, sick headache, sour stomach, etc. It is absolutely guaranteed to do what is claimed and if you want to try it before buying, send your address for a free sample bottle to Pepsin Syrup Co., 119 Caldwell Bldg., Monticello, Ill. It is sold by all druggists.

We understand that A. Armstrong Jr. has sold his ranch in this county to Riley Patterson of Uvalde, though full details are lacking.—Sanderson Times.

Known by Other Names.

There are no set of diseases so misnamed as those that pertain to the stomach, liver and bowels. Many think their nerves are deranged, their heart diseased, their kidneys weak, their blood impure, when in reality they have stomach or bowel trouble. Try Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, the wonderful regulator, and see how quickly you find yourself cured. It is absolutely guaranteed to do all that is claimed, and if you want to try it before buying, send your address for a free sample bottle to Pepsin Syrup Co., 119 Caldwell Bldg., Monticello, Ill. It is sold by all druggists, at 50c and \$1 a bottle.

SOME BARGAINS.

An 80-acre farm, 2½ miles southwest of Hondo, with 50 acres in cultivation, a four room house, a good well and windmill and the necessary outbuildings will be sold for \$50 an acre, half cash and balance in one and two years, ten per cent interest. Apply to the owner, Joe Sauter, on the place, or to agent, the Hondo Land Co.

A 320-acre farm, 8½ miles south of Hondo, all fenced and 85 acres in cultivation, with a two-room house, good well, windmill and tank, will be sold for \$25.00 per acre, half cash and balance on terms to suit purchaser at 8% interest.

An eight-room residence in Hondo situated on four lots 35x140 feet, will be sold cheap and on liberal terms. A well improved home and a bargain, some one wanting a good place in Hondo.

One and a half lots with three-room house and well, north of court house in Burnside addition. Price reasonable.

Four hundred dollars will buy two of the choicest lots in the Miller Addition, lots 3 and 4 in block 3. One is 70x140 feet and the other 60x140.

For Sale: Lot No. 8 in block No. 32, in town of Lacoste, business building, 22x24 feet together with barber outfit, for \$1200 and on liberal terms. Apply to Gus C. Moeller, owner, or to this company.

A 350-acre farm in Tate County, Miss., part creek bottom, six houses, three good wells. Will trade for Texas property of equal value. Will sell for \$20 per acre on good terms.

A 78x92 foot lot, being lot No. 5, in block No. 5, Moeur addition to one block from school house, is for sale cheap. Suitable for building a residence for one wishing to be near the school.

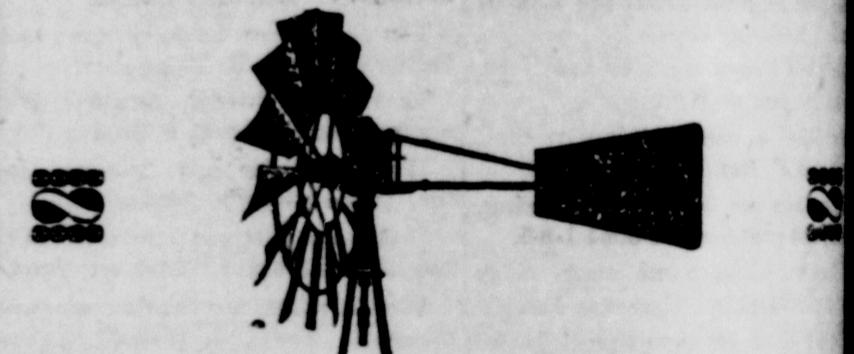
\$1,600, one-half cash and balance on terms to suit purchaser, will neat, new three-room house situated on three lots near the school. This property is a southeast corner and is a bargain. Will sell the house lot for \$1,100 on the same terms.

If you want to buy, sell or lease town or country property and are prepared to talk business see the—

Hondo Land Company
TAYLOR & DAVIS, Managers
HONDO, TEXAS

Ring Phone 25 1-long 2-short Rings, for

B. C. Wiemers



The Samson Windmill
AGENT AT HONDO.

Call on him and he will tell you about the Samson.

ALAMO IRON WORKS
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.

D'HANIS BRICK & TILE COMPANY

Manufacturers of

RED PRESSED BRICK

20,000 daily capacity.

Dealers in Lime, Cement, Sand and Fire Clay.

D'HANIS, TEXAS.



Subscribe for this Paper; only \$1.00 a year in ad-